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"Ponder the Path of thy feet and let all thy ways be established" Prov. 4-26.

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WRITERS.

Just say to all who write
for the CRESSET they
approach us any more
kind of slang or mud
this is not argument.
Just treat each other
respect in this paper; Write
arguments one against the
we will publish them.
Would any of you impose
more in this manner
see your piece in print
stars taking the place
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Not mean that writers
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SOCIALISM IN THE NAVY.

There has been so much spread of
Socialism among the marines and
sailors of the United States that
the secretary of the navy has
been conducting a secret investi-
gation to ascertain to what extent
the "baneful doctrine" had ob-
tained hold in this department
of the government. The secre-
tary has issued no report but
it has been given out that the
authorities are surprised and
alarmed over the result of the
investigation.

The capitalist government should
not feel surprised at its discov-
ery. Sailors are after all but
wage-slaves. They get small pay
for the menial service they ren-
der while their alleged superiors
draw princely salaries and put
on all the airs of a southern plan-
tation owner before the war.

Sailors and soldiers are used
by the capitalists government
to fight for the ruling class. It
is but a miserable wage and
scant consideration they get in
return for the service they ren-
der their masters. Why should
they not become Socialists?

Set the good work of the Soc-
ialist propaganda in the army
and navy be carried forward
with increasing vigor and en-
thusiasm.

-Appeal to Reason.

DEAR ED. CRESSER, from what
Bro. Merritt says he thinks his
question has not been answered.
Will the Bro. please tell us who
it was that gave the answer on
the day of Pentecost when the
people said unto Peter and the
rest of the apostles, men and
brethren what shall we do, was
the answer from God, and again
when the apostles baptized the
people did they baptize them in
the name of Jesus Christ or did
they baptize them in the name
of the Father and of the son and
of the Holy Ghost please answer.
soon your's for the truth.

J. L. Newby

Compelled to Steal.

We understand that a young
lady, Dora Castell, a reputable
young woman was arrested at
Macon, Mo., a few days ago for
taking some eggs from a car in
the railroad yards. Her sister
was an invalid and was suffering
for the want of food. In explain-
ing the case the young woman
said: "My sister was very weak
and needed things to eat. I used
all the money I had and then
went out on the railroad right of
and hunted berries. Finally I
got to a place where it was either
steal or starve and I heard that
there was a car of eggs on the
railroad tracks which I could
get at easily, but I did not
intend to break a seal. I have
always been a good girl and my
parents were respectable people.
But I could not stand around
while my poor sister was need-
ing something to eat."

This girl, in ministering to her
sick and starving sister, was an
angel. Notwithstanding this; she
was lodged in jail as a common
thief. Had she allowed her sis-
ter to die in starvation, she
would have been a monster. She
did what her heart prompted
her to do and what any other
human being with a heart would
have done and yet she was
branded with shame and is now
identified with the criminal class.

This poor girl was literally
compelled to steal, or commit
crime. This is the fruit of pov-
erty and capitalism.

Away with such capitalism! It has
filled the world with shame and
borrow. Every community num-
bers its victims by scores, by
hundreds, and by thousands.

Bible Socialism will abolish
poverty, and when this is done
the children of men will no longer
be driven to crime but obed-
ient to the laws of their God and
land and will take their places
among the useful and respected
members of society.

J. M. KENREIGH DIES SUDDENLY.

John M. Kenreigh died almost instantly, at about 11
o'clock Monday morning. He was driving south on Hengles
street, and when in front of the residence of W. H. Randel
he was seen to pitch forward and fall to the ground. Thos.
Thorne was near by and ran to the side of the stricken man.
Other persons ran up, and Dr. Hubbard was summoned, but
life was extinct before the doctor arrived. The stricken
man never spoke after those who saw him fall got to him.
In falling he received a bruise on the forehead, but Dr. Hub-
bard is of the opinion that the bruise had nothing to do with
his death, and Apoplexy was assigned as the cause. Mr.
Kenreigh was not feeling well on Sunday, but it is said that,
apparently, he was better on Monday morning.

The deceased was 78 years old, and was strong and ac-
tive for a man of his age. His son, James, is sick at his home
two miles west of town, with a slow fever, and will not be
able to attend the funeral. A son in Ohio and a brother in
the same state have been notified of the death and are ex-
pected here to attend the funeral. Mr. Kenreigh was a
member of the M. E. Church and was known for his strong
Christian character and devotion to religious subjects.

The funeral services will be held at the M. E. Church at
3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, and will be conducted by
Rev. H. A. Mitchell.

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more than one sixth of the voters They are but a vile encum- Sapiash capitol and in vain has
meats for our profit; also adulter-
and water and other drinks for